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BY: Barbara J. Melh

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

It is requested that the time for response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements" dated October 9, 2001, be extended two (2) months so that it expires on February 9, 2001. A check in the amount of \$400 in payment of the extension fee is enclosed.

If a further extension is needed, such extension is requested, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit any other amount which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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